

AUGUST 2021 PROGRAMS

All programs are free and open to the public. Daily parking fee applies; \$5 per MA vehicle, \$20 out-of-state vehicle. An adult must accompany children. Reasonable accommodations available upon request. Inclement weather may cancel. For more information or to confirm call (508) 238-6566.

- Thursdays
August 5, 12,
19, & 26

OFF THE BEATEN PATH HIKE, 1:00-3:00 pm
Explore the trails at Borderland State Park on a guided hike. Hikes are 2 to 4 miles long on varied terrain at a moderate pace. Route varies each week. Leashed dogs are welcome to join. Consider hiking footwear, sun block, bug repellent, drinking water and a snack. Meet in front of Visitor Center.
- Sundays
August 1, 8,
& 15

EXPLORE NATURE SERIES, 3:00-4:00 pm
The explore nature series is geared to a younger audience, but all ages are welcome to join and learn about nature.
August 1 & 15: **Ponding** - Using nets and buckets, let's catch critters living in Leach Pond. Then determine the water quality by the types of animals we find. Wear shoes and clothes that can get wet. Meet at the Stone Lodge, near Lower Leach Pond.
August 8: **Stonewall Secrets** - How did all these stonewalls get into the woods? Who made them and why? Learn about the history of the stonewalls that crisscross the park on this 1 mile educational hike. Meet in front of Visitor Center.
- Wednesdays
August 11, 18
& 25

TAILS & TALES STORY HOUR WITH SHARON PUBLIC LIBRARY, 11:00 am—12:00 pm.
Join Mary Claire, children's librarian at the Sharon Public Library and the staff at Borderland for a story outside in the picnic area. Bring your own snack or picnic if you would like. Before and after the story, there will be coloring and activities for the children. Great for children of all ages. The story hour will be held in the picnic area near the visitor center. Park in the main parking lot, located at 259 Massapoag Avenue in North Easton, MA. Inclement weather will cancel this program. For more information call Borderland at (508) 238-6566.
- Saturday
August 21

TAI CHI AT SMITH FARMHOUSE, 9:00-10:00 am
Join Turo Vince Jornales for a free Tai Chi class at the Smith Farmhouse. Inclement weather will cancel. For more information, please visit: www.smithfarmheals.org. Enter through the Bay Road lot, on the corner of Bay Road and Allen Road in Easton, MA and park at Smith Farm.
- Thursday,
August 26

'MUCH ADO ABOUT NOTHING', 7:00 pm
Brown Box Theatre Presents Shakespeare in the Park. Bring lawn chairs, blankets and bug spray for this free show under the stars. We recommend arriving early. Co-sponsored by the Brown Box Theatre, Friends of Borderland and DCR. Enter at 257 Massapoag Ave., North Easton (Maintenance entrance). Slowly drive along the dirt road and park in front of the Ames Mansion. Parking is free. Main parking lot will be closed.
- Friday
August 27

WESTON WINDS PRESENTS A CLASSICAL QUINTET CONCERT, 6:00 pm
Join us in front of the Mansion for an outdoor concert featuring leading wind players from the Weston Wind Quintet, who will present a free concert including music for winds. Please bring your own chair or blanket and enjoy a free classical concert. Rain date: Saturday, August 28, 6:00pm-7:00pm Co-sponsored by The Weston Wind Quintet and DCR.

How was your visit? Email us at Mass.Parks@mass.gov.